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December Crop Production

Executive Summary

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| Field Crops | Fruit & Nuts |
|-------------|--------------|
| Cotton | Citrus |
| Cottonseed | |
| Sugarcane | |





Survey Overview Florida Citrus

| | Objective Surveys (Size and Drop) | Fruit Maturity |
|-------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------|
| Survey Type | Field Observations | Laboratory Tests |
| Crops Included | All | Oranges, Grapefruit |
| Sample Size | 1,681 groves | 418 samples |
| Collection Period | Nov 8-23 | Nov 28-29 |
| Testing Period | | Nov 30-Dec 2 |





December 2016 Crop Production

| Crop | Unit | December 2016 | % Change From Previous Forecast | % Change From Previous Season |
|------------------------|-----------|------------------|--|--|
| Production | | | | |
| Oranges | Mil Tons | 5.32 | NC | -10.0 |
| Grapefruit | Thou Tons | 743 | -1.7 | -7.5 |
| Tangerines & Mandarins | Thou Tons | 990 | -0.2 | +5.9 |

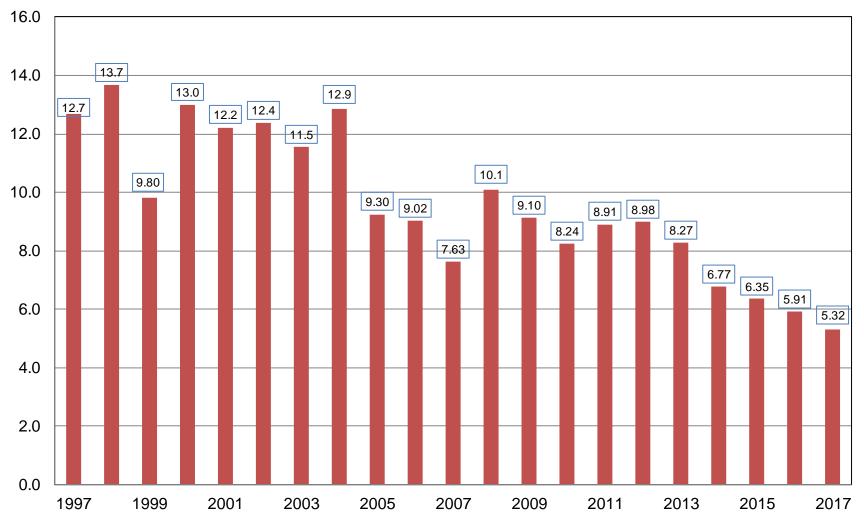


Orange Production



Million Tons

United States







Survey Overview

| | Ginnings | Objective Yield | |
|-------------------|-------------------|-----------------|--|
| Crops Included | Cotton | Cotton | |
| Sample Size | ~600 | 1,197 | |
| Collection Period | First Week of Dec | Nov 25 – Dec 1 | |





December 2016 Crop Production

| Crop | Unit | December 2016 | % Change From Previous Forecast | % Change From Previous Season |
|------------|---------|------------------|--|--|
| All Cotton | | | | |
| Harvested | Mil Ac | 9.66 | NC | +19.6 |
| Yield | Lb/Ac | 821 | +2.2 | +7.2 |
| Production | Mil Bls | 16.5 | +2.2 | +28.2 |

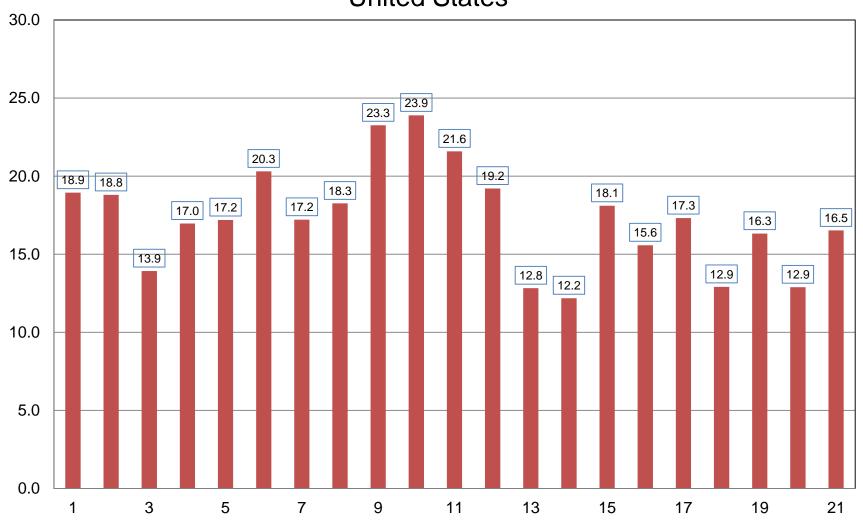


Million Bales



All Cotton Production



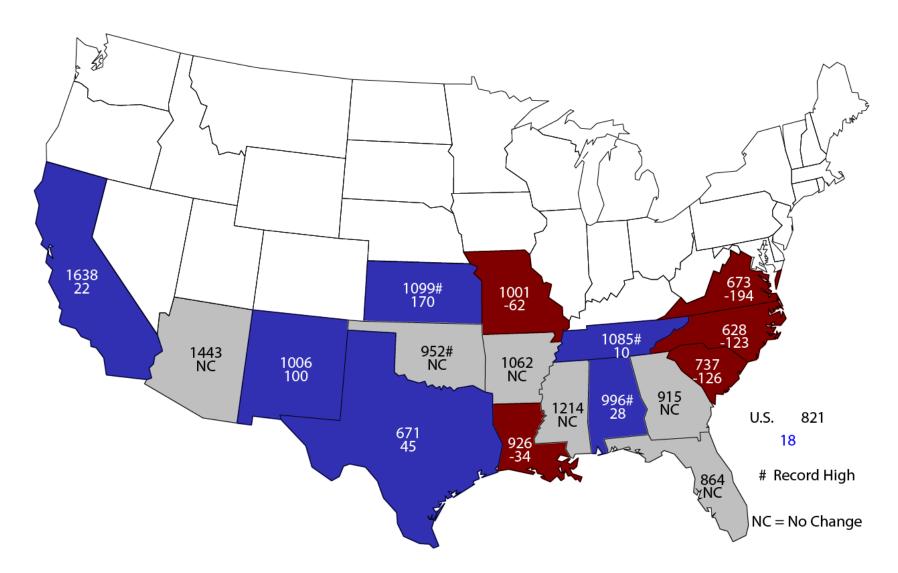




December 1, 2016 All Cotton Yield



Pounds and Change From Previous Month







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| Crop | Unit | December 2016 | % Change From Previous Forecast | % Change From Previous Season |
|------------|----------|------------------|--|--|
| Production | | | | |
| Sugarcane | Mil Tons | 33.7 | +0.4 | +4.4 |
| Cottonseed | Mil Tons | 5.27 | +2.2 | +30.4 |





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